FOR YOUR INFORMATION -

CHANGE IN AUGUST SENIOR ENCAMPMENT

It has been necessary to change the dates and location of the August Encampment from Chanute Air Force Base to Scott Air Force Base near Belleville, Illinois. It will now be from August 6 to 13 instead of a week later as originally scheduled.

We regret this but the Air Force program set up at Chanute has necessitated the cancellation of all outside groups for this summer.

The Senior Scout Encampments are now as follows:

Honor Encampment Selfridge Air Force Base Mt. Clemens, Michigan June 18 - 25 Senior Scout Encampment Selfridge Air Force Base Mt. Clemens, Michigan June 25 - July 2 Senior Scout Encampment, Scott Air Force Base, Belleville, Illinois August 6 - 13 -

These are Senior Scout camps located on Air Force Bases. Senior Scouts attending them may have the opportunities and privileges of training in various Senior Scouting skills with the excellent equipment, facilities and personnel that is available at these bases.

Housing is in regular barracks with beds and bedding provided.

Leaders and Senior Scouts eat together in a regular mess hall.

Excellent instruction is offered during each day of the Encampment. The late afternoon and evening programs are then planned by the Senior Scouts themselves using accepted Senior Scout procedures.

The Encampments officially open at 4:00 P.M. on the opening date. Checkouts and departures are early on the closing dates. Senior Scouts should travel to and from the Encampment in private cars or by common carrier. Under no circumstances should they hitch-hike.

The Encampments are for all Senior Scouts and Leaders who are interested in the training, facilities and experiences that are offered. They are not just "good times" or a vacation.

If five or more Senior Scouts come from a Council, at least one Leader should accompany them. Serving on the Encampment Staff has proven to be excellent training in the "Know-How" of Senior Scout operation.

The cost of an Encampment will be \$12.00 per person for food, housing, special activities, etc.

The Encampment Bulletins are now available to every Senior Scout and Leader. This quantity has been sent to each Council and they should be sent on directly to all Senior Scouts. Staff members and others interested in serving on the Encampment Staffs should notify the Regional Office at once. It is a great Senior Scouting experience for anyone that can arrange to be there. Good men are needed for the Staff.